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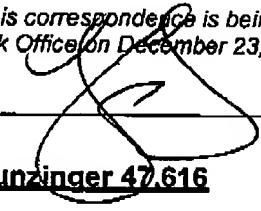
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Application No. : 09/913,869
 Applicant(s) : Schepel et al.
 Filed : August 20, 2001
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 TC/A.U. : 1751
 Examiner : Petruccio, John M.
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INTRODUCTORY REMARKS

In response to the Office Action of October 2, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows and consider the following remarks and reconsider the application.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper. In addition, the Abstract has been amended and provided on a separate sheet (see attachment following page 16 of the paper).

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 7 of this paper.